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From our Second Edition of Yesterday.

Arrival of the Enterprise.

Another Attack on Hatteras.

THE REBELS REPULSED.

The steamer Enterprise, Capt. Curry, arrived this morning at half-past 6 o'clock. Through the politeness of her gentlemanly Purser we are placed in possession of the following summary of late news:

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.
John J. Crittenden has enlisted as a private in a company of Kentucky Union Home Guards. The news from that State is cheering for the Union cause.

Gen. Price, in Missouri, is said to have crossed the Osage with 30,000 men, and McCullough, with 25,000 men, was just behind him. Gen. Fremont's future movements are forbidden to be sent by telegraph.

Secretary Cameron and Adjutant Thomas are at St. Louis.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.
Commander Charny arrived at Washington this morning. He reports that on Monday the rebels attacked the forts at Hatteras with six steamers and 3000 men. Three of the steamers were sunk by the Unionists. They went down with all on board. It is estimated that 700 rebels were drowned, besides a large loss sustained by shot and shell.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.
There has been fighting at Santa Rosa, but to what extent is not known at present. Wilson's Zouaves were badly cut up, the rebels say.

The Mexican Government asks a loan from the U. S. Government to pay the interest on her debt to England. The amount asked is from five to ten millions.

Additional.

RUBY VALLEY, Oct. 18.
The Eastern stage arrived here at 12.15 o'clock, last night, bringing the following report to the Alta:

JEFFERSON CITY, Oct. 9.
Colonel Mathews telegraphed to Gov. Gamble this morning, from Herman, that he had been compelled to surrender his camp with three pieces of cannon, to a superior force.

Colonel Mathews' camp was twenty miles from Herman, and is said to contain about 400 Home Guards.

The rebels numbered some two thousand, and their design is to burn the Gasconade bridge in that vicinity.

Reinforcements have been sent both to Herman and the bridge.

On hearing of the approach of the rebels our force at the bridge began erecting palisades for its defense.

Gen. Price's army was on Grandriver, in Henry county at last accounts, (Wednesday night) marching South.

A rebel named Widemerier is raising a regiment at Osceola for the purpose of making a foray into Kansas.

Union men, from the neighborhood of Lexington, say that a session of the Legislature was held there.

Efforts are being made here to organize companies of Missouri Rangers to carry on guerilla warfare, after the style of the rebels.

Generals Lane and Sturgis are understood to have received orders to march from Kansas City, and join Gen. Sigel at Sedalia.

Gen. Sigel sent out a detachment of 300 men, on Sunday, to cut off a rebel supply train.

The affair at the Federal camp near Herman, reported this morning, proves not to have been as serious as it was first stated. Col. Mathews simply abandoned his camp on the approach of the rebels, and retired to Herman without the loss of any killed. The three cannon mentioned in a previous dispatch, belonged to the rebels.

Col. Harding now telegraphs from Herman that he has no apprehension of an attack on that place, and that the Gasconade and Osage bridges are well guarded and secured against the rebels.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.
The policy of the Government in regard to employing foreigners in the military service, is as follows, the statement being made on good authority:

First—No one has been authorized to enlist or raise troops in Canada, as has been affirmed to be understood there.

Second—No commissions have been offered or any other overtures made to military men in France or other European States, as has been asserted there.

Third—The Government has not tendered the command of the army to Garibaldi, as has been represented in Europe.

What is true is—

First—That every foreigner who has come with a good character and offered his services to the Government in support of the Union, has been accepted, and none others are in the military employment of the United States.

Second—General Garibaldi, being a naturalized citizen, it was reported to the Government by one of our consuls that the General was contemplating a visit to this country, and that he had intimated, conditionally, a disposition to engage in the service of the United States. He was aware that if this was the case, his services would be accepted with pleasure, and he would receive a commission as Major General, being the same rank that was conferred on Gen. Lafayette in the war of the Revolution.

Gen. Garibaldi, upon consideration of the subject, has concluded not to offer his services at present, but thinks he may pay a visit to the United States.

HALIFAX, October 9th.
Dr. Hayes, of the polar expedition, arrived here this morning in the United States. The party are all well, two having died, namely, Augustus Lentus, the astronomer, and Gibson Corutulus. Dr. Hayes reached Smith's Straits in August last year, but could not penetrate the Straits with his vessel, either last season or this. He wintered at Port Foulk, near Alexanderia, and, with dogs and sleds, reached latitude 81 deg. 35 m., May 18th this year.

LOUISVILLE, October 9th.
Dispatches from Fort Smith say McCulloch is in want of more men, his present force being only 3,500 strong. This would prove that McCulloch is still alive.

The officers of the Fremont Light Guard deny that the recruiting office of that regiment closed on the announcement of the removal of General Fremont and staff. Enlistments were going on rapidly.

CINCINNATI, October 9th.
The Enquirer, the paper in which all the Blair and Fremont charges, letters, etc., appeared originally, in answer to Fremont's dispatch, exculpates the General or any member of his department, unqualifiedly, from an responsibility in their publication. The papers were obtained through an entirely different source.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., October 9th.
Gen. W. F. Thornton, one of the old pioneers of the State, was to-day nominated for Congress, to fill the vacancy occasioned by General McClelland's resignation.

NEW YORK, October 9th.
The steamship Ericson has been chartered by the Government, and will load with horses. She has steam on awaiting orders.

LOUISVILLE, October 9.
Richmond papers of the 1st inst., and Charleston of the 2d, are received.

Floyd's forces are reported to be greatly demoralized since the battle of Carnifax Ferry, and Wise's generalship is severely criticized. There is great rejoicing throughout the South over the capture of Lexington and the Fremont difficulty.

There is a general growl throughout the Southern Confederacy at the inefficiency of the mail arrangements.

The Artisan's Bank of New Orleans, is circulating five dollar notes, but in two pieces, each representing two dollars and a half.

One hundred and thirty-eight Indian warriors crossed the Arkansas on the 5th, en route for McCulloch's army.

Gen. Whitefield, late of Kansas, is also moving toward Southern Missouri at the head of Texas troops.

Federal prisoners sent to New Orleans were escorted to their quarters in that city by a colored company.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.
Lewinsville will be retained, as well as the other positions taken by our forces.

A portion of the troops under Brigadier General Porter also advanced, and occupied positions to the right of Falls Church, and commanding that village and Burnett's Hill, which latter is now in possession of the rebel pickets.

General McClelland and staff, accompanied by Captain Barker's Dragoons, crossed over the Chain Bridge at an early hour this morning, and spent a whole day in making a reconnaissance of the new positions taken by the Federal troops.

About 5 P. M. yesterday, Capt. Barney, of the Twentieth New York, advanced three miles beyond Falls' Church on the Leesburgh turnpike, with ten men, when he surprised a picket guard of eight of Col. Stewart's cavalry. Three were killed and one taken prisoner. They captured five horses equipped, thirteen navy pistols, four sabres, one carbine and one telescope.

The Tribune's dispatch says there is reason to believe in the report from New Orleans via Richmond, announcing the presence of Government vessels at the head passes of the Mississippi. They are doubtless acting under instructions given long since in regard to protecting the main bulwark and the batteries on each side of the river above the point where the five mouths diverge, for the purpose of effectually blockading them. All the guns to be mounted are probably the 28 nine inch Dahlgren's which were ordered for Fort Pickens, and not being required they were put ashore at Tortugas. The Mississippi will be effectually closed by these batteries; 20 vessels could not do it as well.

Potter's Investigating Committee adjourned to-day. The first report includes the names of 237 employees against whom charges of treason were presented. To-morrow the second report will be presented, giving 235 more. Investigations will be resumed at the commencement of the session of Congress.

Five colonels stand ready to command five regiments of Illinois cavalry, to be raised, whose acceptance is pressed on the War Department by Gov. Yates and others. The Department is willing to accept one, and the others as infantry.

Brigham Young has lost the Utah Valley, one of the most fertile in Utah, after having announced his intention to settle it with Saints. The President, by an order dated October —, has directed an Indian reservation to be made there.

A New York Herald dispatch says the dispatches to the War Department to-day are more encouraging than heretofore in regard to the movements of Gen. Fremont in Missouri.

A Times dispatch from Washington dated 9th says: Commander Chavari arrived here this evening from Hatteras Inlet. He reports that on Monday the rebels formed an expedition to attack and recapture the forts occupied by our forces. The expedition consisted of six steamboats and about three thousand men. The steamers were armed with heavy rifled cannon and mortars for throwing shells. The attack was simultaneous but ineffectual. The forts fired shells, and were assisted by vessels stationed off the inlet.

CAIRO, Ill., Oct. 8th.
Pickets of the Fourth Cavalry regiment, stationed four or five miles from Paducah, were attacked by a large body of rebels this morning. Two were mortally wounded, and two taken prisoners, with all their horses and equipage. In the excitement they fired upon each other, and then fled, each party taking the other for cavalry.

A deserter from the rebel camp at Columbus arrived here to-day, and reported the force there at thirty thousand.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11th.
The Tribune's correspondent says: By the occupation of Lewinsville, Gen. McClelland has complete possession of the line of hills running north and south from the river from Great Falls.

This second line, which is about two miles from the fort, is more properly one of operation than defence. We now threaten the communication of the rebel army with the upper Potomac, while a slight advance will entirely cut them off. Recent slight advances show there are not and have not been rebel fortifications on the Potomac as there are other places than Aquia Creek. There are three batteries of twenty guns, which are designed to defend the terminus of the new Southern railroad, and protect Richmond and Fredericksburg, not to hinder navigation. The guns at Freestone Point, which a fortnight since fired upon our vessels, causing fear that the navigation was stopped, was a field battery on the way south. Vessels can pass three miles beyond the Aquia batteries, which cannot harm them.

The Herald's dispatch says while the river continues at its present height, there is no probability of an attack on our lines or an advance from the rebels.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Female Complaints.—Climates have their particular disorders; age has infirmities peculiar to it; seasons have their specific diseases; and woman, in all climates, at any age, and in every season, is liable to special complaints, resulting from fashion, inattention, or debility of constitution. For all such sufferers there are in Holloway's remedies present and future comfort, while the natural functions of every organ is fairly established by them. Under their corrective sway the greatest improvement speedily appears—the body is developed and the spirits rise. Into Holloway's preparations not a trace of mercury, or other noxious ingredient, ever enters; hence the parent, guardian, or patient need hold no counsel before commencing these remedies.

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SHIRTS—Baltic and American woolen wove; French flannel very superior; blue serge, llama cloth, twill regatta.

BOOTS—Ladies' French;

HATS—Best French felt;

CLOTHING—Blue cloth heavy pilot reefing jackets, exhibition cloth reversible do., heavy outercoats, and a great variety of English clothing.

CHEESE—N Wiltshire;

HAMS and Bacon;

PAINTS, Oils, and Turpentine (Hubbick's);

PORTLAND CEMENT—In 3 bushel casks;

BRIGHT BLASTING POWDER—(Kame & Co) in ½ and ¼ barrels;

FURNITURE—A small invoice of very choice quality;

WAX MATCHES—Bell & Black's, in plain boxes and tin cases;

RUM—(30 O. P.);

CAMPBELL TOWN WHISKY—In qr casks; &c., &c., &c.

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The Steamer Eliza Anderson,

JNO. R. FLEMING, Commander.

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By arrangement, Stock will be taken to New Westminster and Bell's glum Bay.

For Freight or Passage apply on board. oc7

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J. T. PIDWELL, Secretary.

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For Sale.
FOR SALE CHEAP, THE HULL, the copper-lined schooner sea Otter, built at Souke this season. For particulars apply on board or at the Wharf Office of the Hudson Bay Company. oc24

Safe Investment.
THE BEST BRICK STORE IN TOWN is offered for sale. It is situated on Yates street, and is 31 feet front by 130 feet deep. The premises are let to a responsible tenant at a good rent. Four or five thousand dollars could remain on mortgage at two per cent. per month for one year or more. Title undeniable. Apply to Mr. M. TYRWHITT DRAKE, 83 Government street, for further particulars. oc3 1m

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100 ACRES OF LAND, WELL TIMBERED and beautifully situated, within one-half mile of Victoria. Terms reasonable. Apply to MR. DRAKE, 63 Government street.

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A large stock of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gold and Silver Watches, set with diamonds, Pins, Earrings, and Jewelry of every description always on hand.

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Such as knives and forks, tea and table-spoons. Solid silver goblets, knives and forks, &c. oc23 1m

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THE PROPRIETORS OF THE BALMORAL NURSERY beg respectfully to inform the public that they are prepared to supply a choice assortment of

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Consisting of the best cultivated varieties of Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries; also, Gooseberries, Lawton Blackberries, Strawberries, Currants, etc.

Samples can be seen at Messrs. Stewart, Meldrum & Co's, Victoria, or at Mr. Armstrong's, New Westminster, who will execute orders. oc21 1m

Removal.

REINHART & BRO. HAVE REMOVED to their new Fireproof Store on Wharf street, opposite the Hudson Bay Company's Warehouse.

AN EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT OF

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

Boots and Shoes,

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Wharf street, opp. H. B. Co's Store.

Industrial Exhibition.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

NOTICE.

THE COMMITTEE WOULD INFORM all who intend to contribute specimens of the Natural Products of Vancouver, or of any of the Industrial Arts, that they are now prepared to receive them. And as it is particularly desirable that the Committee should, at an early day, be able to form a correct idea of the space required for their proper Exhibition in England and transmit the same to the Royal Commissioners, it is requested that the Secretary be informed forthwith of all articles intended for Exhibition, as all such articles of bulky nature will have to be shipped by the first opportunity, via Cape Horn.</

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 30, 1861.

The News from the States.

The news from the States still brings tidings of the marshalling of forces both North and South. In Western Missouri General Fremont was in full march, with a large force, to overtake Generals Price and McCulloch. Matters there will, in all probability, soon be brought to a crisis by a pitched battle. Since the defeat of Gen. Lyon at Springfield, the Confederates have been having things nearly all their own way. Lexington fell into their hands; and the last telegram informs us that another Federal force at Herman, Missouri, had surrendered. If Fremont does not meet with success, the Confederates are likely to have things their own way for some time to come.

Throughout the South, if Consul Muir's account can be depended on, there is nothing but enthusiasm and a determination to wage a war of independence. In the East, matters are not so favorable for the Confederates. At Hatteras they were repulsed with great loss. From the meagre telegrams that reach us, we are led to infer that Gen. McClellan is putting the Federal army on a real war footing, and that the disorganization incident to the battle of Bull Run is fast giving way to military discipline. In a short time we may expect to hear of stirring events both in the West and East.

Admiralty Fees.

We observe that the question of fees taken by the Admiralty Court are about being inquired into by the Assembly, and, we think, very properly. The delays of court are enough to disturb the equanimity of commercial men, let alone being taxed enormously for a little work. In a recent case where the consignees of a ship wished to remove the master the fines amounted to £100. Such a sum is out of all reason for the services rendered and the sooner the fees are abated the better for the commerce of the port. The policy of the country—if we have a recognized policy in any thing—is to lay as light burdens as possible on ships and commerce. If, however, such fees continue to be taken, as in the case alluded to, we fear that British and foreign merchants will be very cautious about consigning ships and merchandise to this port.

The prompt steps taken by Mr. Burnaby to bring the matter under notice is the only way to deal with the question; and we hope that such an understanding will be arrived at as will enable our merchants to appeal to the Admiralty Court when occasion requires, with the assurance that their constituents or themselves will not be mulcted in costs totally disproportionate to the services rendered. It is far the best way to take the bull by the horns at once; for if in the infancy of Admiralty Courts in this colony they administer justice at too expensive a rate, we may expect when our commerce increases that the expenses will be tantamount to a denial of justice.

Land Arrearages.

We observe that a call has been made upon all who are in arrears with their land instalments to pay up within the next seven weeks. On the delinquent list the majority are not bona fide settlers. The small number of the latter who are behind, however, we are assured feel the pressure of the times, more particularly the one per cent. tax, and if forced to pay up or forfeit their property, it would in either case be a very great hardship at the present time. In the call, Government promises "to show every possible leniency to the bona fide settler," and where parties, actual settlers, are unable at the time of notification, they may arrange with the Attorney General.

We have no wish whatever, to insinuate that he would do other than carry out the spirit of the Provincial Secretary's notice; yet it can do no harm to intimate that it is expected there will be no want of "leniency" even to the fullest extent of the term. Our farmers are not up in the strict forms of legal transactions, so if they feel a little nervous about a new arrangement, it need not be wondered at. There are many ready to speculate on the necessities of the needy; but we sincerely hope that no occasion will be afforded so far as those who have settled on the public lands are concerned.

Cotton.

The Messrs. Mill Brothers, of Manchester, issued in August a very important circular on the cotton question, from which we extract the following:

Since the date of our circular of 22d ult., the stock of cotton at Liverpool has shown a steady decline. The quantity of American then held in warehouse and afloat was 860,000 bales. It is now 639,000 bales. For one week the spinners increased their stock by about 30,000 bales. This was about used up in the succeeding three weeks. They are again, therefore, buying more freely. During the past four weeks and four days the takings from Liverpool for consumption have been 180,000 bales, or about 39,000 per week. Adding 2000 per week for Glasgow, etc., would make the total consumption of American cotton for the kingdom 41,000 per week, which was precisely our estimate. Taking consumption and export together,

the figures have been 210,000 bales, against 216,000 last year—a very slight discrepancy. In the remaining months of last year (24th August till 28th December) consumption absorbed 775,000 bales and export 68,000 bales, in all 843,000 bales. It is impossible that the same rate of absorption should be maintained this year; for the whole available supply is only 630,000 bales, without any prospect of its being replenished before the close of the year. Yet the supply of American cotton will, no doubt, be sufficiently economised to enable it to last till that date, or longer, by the gradual advance in price throwing a larger proportion of the consumption on Surat, of which the supply is happily unusually large; and by a limitation of the hours of labor, there being, we understand, a pretty general resolve on the part of the trade not to "light up" at all this winter, or, at least, so long as the deficiency in the supply of cotton continues.

With regard to the probable continuance of the war, we have merely to confirm what we said in our last. Many thought then that the North was not in earnest in the war, and others that their immense preparations would insure them an easy victory. The opinion which we ventured to give, that "the Government and people of the North vastly under-rate the difficulties before them, and equally over-rate their own strength and endurance," has had a very emphatic confirmation in the result of the first great battle. The believers in an early conclusion of the war, however, still cling to the same idea, but upon the very opposite grounds. The general idea now is that the North will be forced to yield by the demoralization of her army, the impossibility of raising money, and the evident futility of the attempt to conquer the South. We beg to caution our friends against being led away by this kind of argument into any hope of an early peace.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARD OF THANKS.

Messrs. D. & H. Shipper take occasion to express publicly their thanks to Capt. Swanson, of the H. B. Co's steamship Labouchere, for his kindness in supplying ship stores to Mr. H. Shipper, of the schooner Nonpareil, after she had been boarded and robbed by the Indians on the Northwest Coast, whilst on a trading voyage. Had it not been for Captain Swanson's timely aid in giving assistance, Mr. H. Shipper would have been left entirely at the mercy of the Indians. oc20 It

A Card.

VICTORIA, V. I., Oct. 26th, 1861.
My dear Capt. Corrigan—I take the opportunity of our arrival at Vancouver Island to send you a few lines about the passage we have had in the Retriever from England to this place. Most ships that have arrived in this port it appears have been 8 months on the passage; but notwithstanding the extraordinary delays we have had 6 weeks calm in the channel and nine weeks of hurricanes dead in our teeth off Cape Horn, with further detentions of the same kind after leaving Callao, we arrived here in first-rate order in 6 months and 22 days. I have been, during my career, a good deal at sea, and have had many opportunities of observing the different methods of sailing and the making of land-falls, &c., and therefore take the liberty of mentioning that I never met any man who took more interest in his ship than you, or who made the land with so much certainty, upon each occasion pointing out the position of the ship to myself and others; and the perfect state in which the ship and cargo arrived requires no comment, as they speak for themselves; and from what I have been informed the condition of the cargo is an almost unprecedented affair in this part of the world. With best wishes to yourself and Mr. Sutherland, your mate, whom I have to thank for his constant kindness to myself and family during the whole passage, Believe me to be, Yours very faithfully, GEO. T. NUNN.

CAPT. CORRIGAN, Bark Retriever, Victoria, V. I.
I can testify to the foregoing. The capability of the Captain and Mate is beyond doubt. GEORGE REID, Passenger.

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Victoria Market Company, (LIMITED.)

AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of shareholders will be held in the public room of the Star and Garter Hotel, on Wednesday Evening next, at 8 o'clock.

By order of the Directors, JOHN J. COCHRANE, Secretary.

NOTICE.

WINTER EVENING LECTURES.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF MR. KING'S unavoidable detention at Nanaimo, his lecture on "Historic Hints" is postponed till Tuesday, the 5th of November, at the Lyceum.
Dr. Forbes' lectures on Geology will be delivered on the 12th and 19th November, instead of the 5th and 12th, as announced.

Admission to each lecture 25 cents.

O. GLOVER, } Committee.
G. M. SPROAT, } of
J. R. STEWART, } Lectures.

Bonded Warehouse.

500 TONS STORAGE.

THE NEW FIRE-PROOF BRICK Warehouse, in Lytton Square, New Westminster, has been declared by Government to be a Bonded Warehouse on and after this date.

Merchants and Shippers to British Columbia, who wish to store merchandise in bond or duty free, are notified that 500 tons can be stored in the New Brick Warehouse.
Storage, \$1 per ton per month; Wharfage, 25 cents per ton.
HARRIS & CO. oc29 3m

Christ Church, Hope,

CONSECRATION NOVEMBER 1st.

DIVINE SERVICE will commence at 11 o'clock, a.m.

SELECT PREACHERS.
Friday Morning, Rev. Archdeacon of Columbia.
Sunday Morning, Lord Bishop of Columbia.
Sunday Evening, Rev. J. Gunningham.

SHOULD ANY MEMBERS OF THE Church of England, or others, feel disposed to offer a Thanksgiving to God for worldly success and prosperity, they are invited to do so in aiding the erection of Christ Church, Hope.

Contributions may be sent to the Bishop's Chaplain, Rev. R. Dundas, Victoria; Rev. J. Shephards, New Westminster; Rev. A. D. Friggle, Hope. oc29

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE ANNUAL BALL

—OF THE—

Union Hook and Ladder Co.,

WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE

LYCEUM, GOVERNMENT ST.,

—ON—

Thursday, October 31st, 1861,

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF

His Excellency Gov. Douglas, C. B. &c.

Committee of Management:

D. A. EDGAR, J. R. ANDERSON,
L. WOLFF, W. WALLS,
E. H. JACKSON.

Committee of Reception:

R. GEORGE, D. B. RING,
E. H. JACKSON.

Floor Managers:

J. A. MCCREA, C. W. WALLACE,
J. M. WORK, L. WOLFF.

Tickets, \$5, to be obtained of the Managing Committee.

Through the courtesy of the Hon'ble Capt. Spencer, R. N., the BAND OF H. M. S. TOPAZE will be in attendance.

Dancing to commence at 8 o'clock, P. M.

JAMES R. ANDERSON, Secretary.

Sooke Oysters

CONSTANTLY ON HAND,

and done up in every style. Call and try them. Also, the finest brands of

Wines, Liquors and Segars.

PHENIX SALOON.

oc19 1m2dp

TAKE NOTICE!

By the arrival of the

"Retriever" from London,

That I have received a superior lot of

BALTIC SHIRTS.

Those who have been waiting for these Shirts to arrive would do well to call and examine, as they are

SUPERIOR TO ANY!

That have been exhibited in this City.

A superior article Gents' Lamb's Wool

Undershirts and Drawers,

WHITE AND COLORED.

SUPERIOR QUALITY OF GENTS' HOSE AND NECKTIES, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S GLOVES.

These goods have been selected with great care from the House of J. R. Morley & Bro., 18 Wood street, London.

Call and Examine.

N. POINTER, oc23-1m COLONIST Building, Government street.

Ex "Retriever," from London

BRANDY—Hennessy's Pale, in 1/4 casks; Martell's " oc23-1m

RUM—Finest Jamaica, in 1/4 casks; oc23-1m

WHISKY—Scotch and Irish, in bulk; oc23-1m

WHISKY—In case, Highland, Malt, and Islay; oc23-1m

OLD TOBACCO—In bulk and bottle, Swaine, Board & Co's; oc23-1m

ORANGE BITTERS—In 1 doz cases, Swaine, Board & Co's; oc23-1m

ALE AND PORTER—Various well-known brands, in bulk and bottle. oc23-1m

For sale by DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., oc23-1m Wharf street.

VICTORIA

Coal and Lumber Co.,

CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST.,

Keep constantly on hand

WOOD AND COAL.

BEST QUALITY OF NANAIMO COAL, oc23-1m

screened, free from dust, which will be delivered free of drayage and portage in any part of the town, and in quantities to suit, at REDUCED RATES.

—ALSO—

LUMBER, of every description, oc23-1m

BUILDING STONE, BRICK, LIME, ETC.

Cheap for Cash. oc1 1m2dp

YALE'S

British Columbian Express

WILL MAKE REGULAR

WEEKLY TRIPS

FROM

Victoria to Douglas, Hope and Yale.

Treasure taken at the lowest rate of charges, and Letters and Light Packages delivered with dispatch. The patronage of the business public is respectfully solicited.

LEON L. YALE, oc23-1m

Victoria Office at Frauenthal's Clothing Store, Yates street, near Wharf.

EX "IONIA?"

2 PUNS, NEW ENGLAND RUM; oc23-1m

For sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street.

Wright & Sanders,

ARCHITECTS,

OFFICE—CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS. oc23-1m

Victoria, V. I.

South Sea Island Arrowroot.

FOR SALE—60 POUNDS SOUTH SEA Island Arrowroot, in lots to suit. oc23-1m

J. J. SOUTHWICK & CO., Wharf street.

London Genuine Porter and Stout.

A SMALL QUANTITY OF THE BEST brands still on hand and for sale by THOS. PATRICK & CO., oc23-1m

Cor. Government and Johnson streets.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE BENEFIT

FOR THE

Sisters of St. Ann's Convent,

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED FOR JULY 26th last, but unavoidably postponed, will come off at the VICTORIA THEATRE, on MONDAY EVENING, Nov. 4th, at 7 1/2 o'clock, P. M. Experiments in Electricity on an apparatus made by Father Meachad will be produced for the occasion, and will be operated upon and its power explained by a gentleman of this city.

By permission of the band of H. M. S. Topaze will be in attendance.
Tickets may be obtained at Hibben & Carswell's, Langley Bros., Curtis and Moore's, Jungermann, watchmaker, or Mr. Colburn's, Yates street.
[7] Price \$1: Children half price.
N. B. Parties holding tickets since former announcement will be admitted. oc28 2d

JAS. N. THAIN & CO.,

Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

oc27

Charts of Haro and Rosario Straits,

FROM SURVEYS MADE BY CAPT. RICHARDS and the Officers of H. M. S. 11th.

Also, Official Maps of the Town of Victoria and the surveyed Districts of VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Also, a new Official Map of BRITISH COLUMBIA.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL, Stationers' Hall, Yates street. oc28 1m

HENRY WALTON.

General Agency and Intelligence Office.

BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS ADJUSTED, Rents and Debts Collected.

OFFICE—In Piddell's Building, Yates st. oc21

BRODRICK'S

COAL DEPOT.

R. BRODRICK BEGS RESPECT-

fully to inform the public of Victoria that he has opened at St. Ours' Wharf a Coal Depot, where he is prepared to supply a superior quality of Screened Coal at moderate prices.

Having had six years' experience in the Coal business in San Francisco, he hopes to be able to give entire satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders.

As the Coal is constantly kept under cover, families can depend upon being supplied with clean, dry Coal through the winter.

Orders forwarded to the Coal Office at St. Ours' Wharf will be filled at an hour's notice to any part of the town or vicinity. oc27 1m

VICTORIA GAS COMPANY (Limited)

NOTICE. A CALL OF FORTY-FIVE PER cent. (45 1/100) upon the Capital of the Company was resolved on and made upon the 23d day of Oct., 1861, and must be paid on or before the 14th day of November next, at the Office of the Company, situated at the corner of Yates and Langley streets.

By order of the Directors, A. F. MAIN, Secretary.

N. B. Shareholders who have paid their first and second calls will be credited therewith against the above call of 45 1/100.

Victoria, V. I., 23d Oct., 1861. oc24 21t

A. ATKINSON, M. D.

SURGEON, &c.

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Opposite the Post Office,

VICTORIA.

oc15 3m2dp

FOR SALE,

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE PROPERTY:

1st. LOT OF GROUND 38x120 FEET, oc23-1m

south-east corner of Fort and Douglas streets, with a substantial 2-story Brick Building and four Wooden Cottages; 120 feet frontage on Douglas street.

2d. Lot 403, northeast corner Fort and Douglas streets, 60x130, with two handsome Cottages; 120 ft frontage on Douglas street.

3d. Lot southeast corner of View and Douglas, No. 410, with one good sized Cottage; 120 feet frontage on Douglas.

The property being a good income and is worthy the attention of capitalists, or parties wishing to invest, having a frontage of 360 feet on Douglas street, and being almost all covered by improvements and near the centre of actual business, promising therefore, a good investment to the purchaser.

4th. Lot of ground 55x90 feet on Broughton street, between the gymnasium and the Victoria Market.

5th. Lot No. 226, corner of Humboldt and Gordon streets, with improvements, near Government street.

6th. Lot No. 1081 on View streets.

7th. Lease for 20 years of Lots 426 and 427 with some improvements, most part built upon, corner of Yates and Douglas, with a frontage of 120 feet on both streets, yielding already \$50 per month more than the ground rent.

TERMS:

25 per cent. Cash balance at two years or before, with interest at one per cent. per month.

Mules or horses taken in part payment.

For particulars apply to the owner.

C. VERNYDEN, oc23-1m

Corner of Fort and Douglas streets.

J. B. TIMMERMAN,

Or to Real Estate Agent, 83 Government street oc26 1m daw

COLONIAL MARKET,

JOHNSON STREET.

MADAME LACHARME RESPECTFULLY

invites the Ladies of Victoria and the public generally, to pay a visit to the Colonial Market and inspect her Preserves of every description.

Vegetables, Fruits and Marmalades, (Of Island production) which are offered for sale at reasonable rates.

Madame L. has employed a skillful Butcher, who prepares and dresses Meats in every possible manner, plain, entrees, or to order.

Charcuterie, Sausages, Cooked and Preserved Meats of all kinds, Game, &c.

Madame L. has also made arrangements with the Italian Fishermen to be supplied with

FRESH FISH TWICE A DAY.

Having had a new Coffee-Grinding Apparatus fitted up, Madame L. is prepared to offer the

Best Ground Coffee,

(French style) wholesale and retail.

Families can now be supplied with every possible luxury at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Chickens in coops, Eggs and Butter, put up for the upper and lower orders and ready for shipment at the moment's notice. oc24 1m

EDGAR DEWDNEY,

Auctioneer, Surveyor, Architect,

and Land Agent,

COLUMBIA STREET,

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Orders promptly attended to. au17 6m

Removal.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY

informed that the ISLAND MARKET has been removed from the Victoria Market to the Hall of the Philharmonic Society, corner

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 30, 1861.

House of Assembly.

TUESDAY, Oct. 29, 1861.

The House met at 3 P. M. Present: Speaker Helmcken, and Messrs. Franklin, Burnaby, Cary, McDonald and Tolmie.

The Speaker read a communication from His Excellency Governor Douglas with the information that the Supplementary Street Act had received his assent.

Mr. Burnaby moved, according to notice, for a return of the Admiralty Fees received during the last year, and also how they had been appropriated. One reason for this motion was that a Select Committee had at present sitting on Court Fees, and it was just as well they should have some information on this subject. He had also heard of complaints of delay, that the heavy fees of this Court prevented parties from prosecuting cases.

Mr. Franklin seconded the motion, which passed, Mr. Cary saying that he would write to the Colonial Secretary for the desired information.

Dr. Tolmie, as Chairman of the Committee on the Address to the Queen, reported to the Speaker that one of the Committee (Mr. Waddington) had refused to act.

Mr. Franklin hoped that the place would not be filled until the honorable gentleman had an opportunity of explaining his absence.

The Speaker said that if the honorable member did not choose to come he could not be made to. To Chairman had better send a formal request to him to explain his absence.

The member for Esquimalt (Mr. Burnaby) was appointed to fill the vacancy on the same committee caused by the retirement of the member for Victoria District (Mr. Crease).

The Bankruptcy Bill and the Limitation of Foreign Actions' Act were then read a third time. The Act to amend the Trades' License Act, 1861, was read a second time.

The House adjourned until 3 o'clock, P. M., Friday, November 1st.

NEW STREET.—We understand that some of the property holders above the old bridge are anxious to have Wharf street extended along the water front till it reaches the upper bridge, if possible. The project, in our opinion, deserves encouragement. At present the north end of Wharf street ends at Johnson street; and if parties wish to proceed to the north water frontage, they will have to twist round into Store street. Push on with the improvements.

LIEUTENANT ROBSON, R. N.—The physicians hold out no hopes of the recovery of this unfortunate gentleman, who, however, still continues conscious and able to speak. Mr. Skinner, Jan., was also thrown from his horse at the same time, owing to the animal shying at the mishap of the other, but luckily was not hurt. Mr. Robson's injuries were caused by his horse rolling over him. It is stated that the command of the Forward division upon the Honorable H. D. Lascelles, Lieutenant on board the T. paze.

GROWING POPULAR.—Our readers cannot fail to appreciate the annexed extract from the Victoria correspondent of the *Alta* of a late date. It is too rich to be lost. The Registration Act is growing popular? Of course it is over the left. But here is the extract:

"In Victoria the Registration Act is based upon the principle of the Australian law—at least it is said to be—and instead of being a mere 'registration,' aims at keeping titles 'perfect'; without a good title none can register. There is no such thing as copying the deed. Thus far it has succeeded very well, and is becoming more popular every day."

OREGON TELEGRAPH.—The Oregon papers say that Mr. Strong will commence operations at Portland this fall, and that the line will be completed so as to connect with California within ten months. This will place Victoria within thirty-six hours communication with the Eastern States.

THE NEW POST OFFICE.—Workmen are busily employed fitting up St. Ours' building on Wharf street for the accommodation of the postal authorities. The establishment will probably be moved there during the week.

PUT BACK.—The steamer Emily Harris, which left here on Monday night for Nanaimo, put back into the outer harbor where she anchored, owing to a rope being entangled with her screw, rendering it useless.

POLICE COURT.—Charles Adams and George Simmons were brought up yesterday, charged with being vagrants, and were remanded for one day.

ARRIVED.—The bark Ork reached here yesterday, 20 days out from San Francisco. She is consigned to Pickett & Co. The barks D. M. Hall and Scranton are expected shortly.

CONTRACT.—The contract for supplying the jail with provisions and groceries has been given to Mr. W. B. Smith, Government street.

SUPREME COURT.—The case of Green and Helmcken vs. Miles was argued before the Court yesterday morning.

FOR THE SOUND.—The steamer Enterprise arrived from ports on Puget Sound yesterday, and left shortly afterwards.

UP.—The Endeavor was loading at San Francisco for New Westminster at last accounts.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.—There will be no meeting of our illustrious legislators until Friday next.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The Otter left last night at 10 o'clock.

A MISSISSIPPIAN SMELLS BLOOD.—A Mississippian correspondent of the *Memphis Appeal* thus raves about Fremont's proclamation:

Every slave in Missouri (for it amounts to this) is to be declared free. Every neutral is to be treated as a traitor. Of course this proclamation is authorized and prompted by the Lincoln Government; and if hell does not break loose under the feet of every Fed-

eral soldier and every Federal adherent—ay, every persistent Union man—in Missouri, Kentucky and Maryland, it will be because either there is no such place as hell, or those States are unworthy to join our glorious Confederation.

It smells of blood! seas of blood, in every line; it reeks with carnage and slaughter, it blazes with fire and all the furies let loose, in every syllable. Through the swift coming weeks and months of the near future, it points to a scene of gathering horrors on this continent such as the world never saw before, if only the devils had the courage or the power to carry out the spirit of that proclamation.

But the hellish designs of our Northern brethren (God forbid that our children should find out that they were our brethren!) are unmasked. We know now upon what a Genghis Khan campaign they propose to set out. We know what rivers of Southern gore, what midnight insurrections, what burning cities, what shrieks of anguish, they, in fancy, revel in. Every Southern man, with even a piece of soul in him, must brace himself like steel for the rush of Scythian hordes that Lincoln is preparing to hurl upon us! Ho! every Southern man—ho, every man this side of the border—fling yourselves from this day forward, heart and soul, into the conflict, each in his appropriate sphere?

If all their soldiers are like the sheep that ran away from the imaginary "masked batteries" (real dust clouds) of Manassas, your task will be easy, your labors soon ended.

Let the brutal minions of a beastly despotism come on! The slaughter pens are ready, and Yankee blood shall flow as free as festal wine.

LATEST NEWS.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 20th.

The Pony arrived at Ruby Valley Station, 424 miles east of Sacramento, at two o'clock yesterday morning.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12th.

Our pickets stationed near Prospect Hill were driven in by rebels in force, their object being, doubtless, to ascertain the position of our advance.

Our troops are in a comfortable condition.

The *Tribune's* dispatch says the army of the Potomac will probably soon be divided into several corps to operate according to the practice of European commanders. This plan has met with a strong opposition by military men of the old school, but General McClellan insists upon it and it will probably be adopted. If it is done, Generals McDowell, Franklin and Potter will be among commanders of divisions which will be from 30,000 to 50,000 strong.

Mr. Muir, British Consul at New Orleans, is now at Washington, having been 24 days on the journey, which was much obstructed by the transportation of rebel troops over the railways. He states that the same determination and enthusiasm continues to be shown throughout the South. The rebels are subjected to serious deprivations. Muir will probably return to England shortly.

The *Herald's* dispatch says Governor Yates and Wm. Kellogg, of Illinois, have obtained from the Government for the armament of that State, \$100,000, fourteen batteries of James' rifled cannon, 6000 muskets, and 700 rifles.

A Maryland Postmaster has been arrested for sending mail bags to rebel States.

Dispatches received from Norfolk and New Orleans, say Billy Wilson's Zouaves attacked the Island of Santa Rosa. Forces landed from Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, and a severe fight ensued. The rebels give the Zouaves great credit for their bravery, but claim to have spiked their guns and destroyed their camp equipage; they also claim to have committed great slaughter among the Zouaves, but give no number of the killed.

Accounts from Banks' column say that the rebels do not appear to be making any demonstration on the Virginia side of the Potomac.

Intelligence from our Mexican Minister is to the effect that the Mexican government has asked for a loan from our government, of from five to ten millions. Our minister regards it as highly important just at this time that Mexico should have the money to pay interest on her English debt, and thus release her from her present embarrassment. Our government is determined to stand by Mexico at all hazards, and protect her against encroachments by foreign powers.

The mother of Jackson, who murdered Ellsworth, has been arrested for keeping a rendezvous for rebel spies near Prospect Hill.

Dispatches received by the *Chicago Journal* say there is a rumor that Price has been prevented from crossing the Osage, and that Gen. Lane has routed a detachment of his rear guard, after cutting them off from the main body.

Major James' cavalry at Cameron, Missouri, on Saturday, came upon 200 or 300 of the rebels in Ray county, in a corn field, 20 miles south of Cameron, the advance guard of nine men routed them, they taking refuge in the timber. Our guard was reinforced by thirty men when they completely drove them from the timber, killing eight and taking five prisoners. Four federals were wounded and one killed.

A company is being formed for cotton cultivation at Queen's Island with coolies for laborers.

The St. Petersburg *Bee* predicts the recognition of the Southern Confederacy by France.

The *Times'* dispatch says that accounts received by Government, and which are deemed valuable, represent the cotton crop of the Southern States as about the average yield. Much of it has been successfully housed. Owing to the want of bagging, it could not be baled or transported until a supply of wrapping can be obtained.

The crop is almost useless, being too bulky for shipment.

Our Consul General to Egypt, Thayer, writes home that the British Government is making extraordinary exertions to procure supplies from and through Egypt.

A new Commercial treaty has lately been negotiated between the Egyptian and British Governments which gives the latter extraordinary facilities in exporting their staple. Thayer at once requested that the same provisions should be granted to the Government of the United States, and his request was immediately granted.

CALIFORNIA.

It is stated that Lady Franklin will shortly leave for Australia.

Brigadier-General Sumner was to leave for the East on the steamer of the 21st, by which vessel the companies of the Third Artillery and Sixth Infantry, ordered East, will leave. They take also 10,000 stand of arms from the Arsenal, Benicia.

The official return of the Secretary of State shows that Stanford received for Governor, 56,036 votes; McConnell, (secession) 32,751; and Conness, 30,944.

Geo. W. Harris has opened a recruiting office in San Francisco to raise a company.

Wm. Kennedy, a miner at Monte Christo, Sierra county, was last week burned to death. Having learned that some war bonds which he held (said to amount to \$14,000) would soon be worth "their face," he went on a spree, and while drunk set fire to his cabin, and was burned to death in it. Kennedy was 30 years of age, a single man, and a native of Ireland. Only \$5,600 of his bonds have been found since his death.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Oct 29—Stmr Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Schr. C. J. Long, Oreg. Port Townsend
Sloop Mystery, Howard, Port Townsend
Schr. Cadboro, Howard, San Juan
Sloop Black Hawk, Lawson, San Juan
Bark Ork, Lamb, San Francisco

CLEARED.

Oct 29—Stmr Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Sloop Leonede, Allen, Port Townsend
Sloop Mystery, Howard, Port Townsend
Sloop Black Hawk, Lawson, San Juan

IMPORTS

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Port Townsend—1 chest, 1 bbl tins, 2 ½ bbls, 1 box, 1 ½ bbl, 2 sheep, 3 coops chickens, 1 horse, 2 bags seeds.

Per schooner WILD PIGEON, from Port Townsend—500 bbls oats, 10 hogs. Value \$450.

Per bark ORK, from San Francisco—Sutro, 1 es segars; Drummond, 1 bbl bbls 16 pgs staves, 2 pgs mds, 1 pg frying pans, 4 pgs boiler ware 2 pgs glassware, 6 pgs pumps, 1 pg zinc, 10 pkgs wire, McCrea, 3 pgs hosiery 2 pgs clothing, 8 pgs boots and shoes; A Casamayor, 5 pgs cheese; G Vignolo, 84 pgs oilman's stores 7 pgs gunny bags 4 pgs leather; Sporborg & Co, 10 pgs butter, 12 pgs meal 8 pgs clothing 50 pgs olive oil; Moses & Co, 6 pgs clothing; Jackson & Co, 50 doors and sashes; Pierce & Co, 31 pgs furniture; Pickett & Co, 50 pgs beans 60 pgs bacon and hams; W H Oliver, 50 pgs wine 19 pgs whisky 20 pgs sugar 1 pg tapioca 10 pgs coffee 20 pgs currants; Seaby, 12 pgs drugs, corks etc; Curran & Co, 5 pgs bacon 40 pgs candles, 5 pgs apples 5 pgs cran; Keong Lee, 40 pgs China goods. Value, \$9530.

PASSENGERS

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Port Townsend—S. Gagner, Mr. Bryne and wife, Rev. Mr. Whitworth, Rev. Mr. Doane, Dr. McCurdy, Bond Lee, Messrs. Richards, Robinson, Armstrong, Damon, Clark, Boyd, Stratton, Caswell, Fitzpatrick, Allingham, Ireland, Wilson Brunn, Calhoun, and Capt. Keller.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LANGLEY BROS.,
Importing Druggists,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

are constantly receiving

Drugs and Chemicals,
Patent Medicines,
Surgical Instruments,
Paints and Oils,
Window Glass,
&c. &c. &c.

Oct 29 1m

AN ACT

To Enable Aliens to Hold and Transmit Real Estate.

WHEREAS it is expedient to enable Aliens to Hold and Transmit Real Estate in Vancouver Island and its Dependencies,

Be it Enacted by the Governor on behalf of Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies,

(Aliens may Hold and Transmit Real Estate as fully as British Subjects.)

I. That from and after the passage of this Act it shall be lawful for any Aliens to hold, possess, use, occupy, enjoy and transmit, by descent or otherwise, Real Estate, of what nature or kind soever, in Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, as fully and indefinitely (for all purposes connected with the holding, use and transmission of Real Estate, but not further or otherwise) as if he had been born a British subject.

(Short Title.)

II. This Act may be cited as the "Act to Enable Aliens to Hold Real Estate, 1861."

Passed the House of Assembly the 6th day of September, 1861.

E. BOWEN DOUGGETT,
Clerk of the House.

Passed the Council the 15th day of October, 1861.

JOSEPH PORTER,
Acting Clerk of the Council.

Received my assent this 28th day of October, A. D., 1861.

JAMES DOUGLAS.

Keating's Cough Lozenges

A SAFE AND CERTAIN REMEDY

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and other Affections of the Throat and Chest. In Infantile Cough, Consumption, Asthma, and Winter Cough they are unfailing. Being free from every hurtful ingredient, they may be taken by the most delicate female or the youngest child; while the public speaker and the professional singer will find them invaluable in allaying the hoarseness and irritation incident to vocal exertion, and also a powerful auxiliary in the production of melodious enunciation.

Prepared and sold in Boxes and Tins, of various sizes, by Thomas Keating, Chemist, etc., No. 79 St. Paul's Church Yard, London. Sold retail by all Druggists and Patent Medicine Vendors in the world.

N. B.—To prevent spurious imitations, please to observe that the words "Keating's Cough Lozenges" are engraved on the Government Stamp of each box, without which none are genuine.

CURE OF ASTHMA OF SEVERAL YEARS' STANDING.

Calmness, near Stroud, Gloucestershire.

Sir,—Having been troubled with Asthma for several years, I could find no relief from any medicine whatever, until I was induced about a year ago to try a Box of your valuable Lozenges, and found such relief from them that I am determined for the future never to be without a box of them in the house, and will do all in my power to recommend them to my friends.

If you consider the above testimonial of any advantage, you are quite at liberty to make what use of it you please.

I am, Sir, your most obliged servant,

THOMAS KEATING, Esq.

Oct 29 1m at Victoria, Vancouver Island, by Mr W. M. Seaby, Pharmaceutical Chemist.

W. J. TRIGG.

Oct 29 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

To the Electors of Nanaimo.

GENTLEMEN:—I ask the honor of being elected to the seat lately filled by your Representative in the House of Assembly.

I deem it inexpedient to address you at any length upon the subject, feeling that the best foundation of every candidate for public confidence, lies more in the public breast itself, than in any assertion of principles, or the attraction of promises. Whether or not I am sufficiently known to you to justify my ambition in asking, or you in reposing in me the high trust which I seek, you are the best judges.

Permit me, however, instead of the display of promises, to state generally what I conceive to be some of the leading duties of your Representative, and which I feel will be mine if honored with your confidence.

A cordial attention to measures for the commercial advantage of Nanaimo—to the construction of roads, especially aiming at the formation of a road to connect your town with Victoria, and thus open up to agricultural adventure the intermediate land and afford fresh facilities for developing the mineral wealth of your district.

It will be my duty to aim at a fixed, regular, and frequent postal communication between the two towns. And being persuaded that the education of the poor of every class and color raises the best protection of persons and property, and in the end lessens the expenditure of the Public Revenue, it will be my duty to advance measures to such an end—as to encourage emigration to this Colony.

My duty too will be, while endeavoring to avoid financial parsimony, to advocate restrictive economy, being assured that a liberal public spirit may effectually combine with a just and economical application and expenditure of the Public Money. Even if the pressure of taxation be not lessened it may become more tolerable to you by seeing your money applied at least to useful Public Works, and the receipts and expenditure of it fully and satisfactorily placed before the public.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, I beg to say, that if you do me the honor of electing me, I shall endeavor to act in such a manner as may reflect no discredit upon your choice, and which shall not disparage your local interests, or the general welfare of the Colony.

I have the honor to be,

Gentlemen, Obediently Yours,

D. BAINGTON RING.

VICTORIA, V. I., October 12th, 1861.

E. STAMP & CO.

OFFER FOR SALE, EX "RETRIEVER."

ALLSOPP'S ALE, in hds;

ALLSOPP'S BOTTLING ALE, in casks and cases;

BAILEY'S bottled stout Porter, in casks;

BASS' NO. 3 BURLION ALE, in hds and bbls;

SWAYNE'S OLD TOM, in hds and cases;

BYASS' PALE ALE, in cases;

BYASS' PORTER, in cases;

DEMERRA RUM, 30 over proof, in hds;

BLASTING POWDER, glazed and black, in 18 lb boxes;

PARMENTIER'S NO. 1 CHAMPAGNE, at \$12 50;

MOUNIER'S BRANDY, in cases;

STATIONARY STEAM ENGINES, 12 H P

PORTABLE " " 15 H P

WASHING MACHINES, convenient and economical.

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

Oct 23

Steam Engines.

TWO FIRST-CLASS TWELVE-HORSE power Scotch Steam Engines, with Boilers, for sale cheap.

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Oct 23

Storage.

STORAGE ON MODERATE TERMS,

in our Fireproof Stone Warehouse, which is free from rats and damp.

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BYASS' PALE ALE and PORTER,

Best bottled Scotch Whisky, in cases and bbls.

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BASS' ALE, IN HOGSHEADS AND BARRELS. For sale by

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Wharf street.

Oct 23

A Bargain.

SUPERIOR Felt for HOUSES AND Conservatories.

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

Oct 23

A FEW CASES OF PARMENTIER'S celebrated Champagne. Swayne Board & Co's Old Tom in casks. For sale by

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

Oct 23

LANDING, EX "MARCELLA."

BYASS' PORTER IN QUARTS AND DINTS. For sale by

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

Oct 23

NOTICE.

E. STAMP & CO., WHARF STREET,

are sole agents in Vancouver Island for the well-known Brewers and Bottlers,

ALLSOPP & CO., BASS & CO.,
R. B. BYASS.

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

Oct 23

W. H. OLIVER,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

Fine English French and American

Liquors,

CHAMPAGNES, CALIFORNIA WINES

CLARETS and BRANDIES,

In the large and spacious Warehouse

Johnson street, opposite Wharf street

VICTORIA, V. I.

Oct 23

A large Stock of Bonded Wines and Brandies always on hand.

To Dealers purchasing in large quantities, a liberal discount will be made for cash.

Agency of 1st Premium California Wines, in pack ages and cases;

Agency of Old Sackem and Hostetter's Bitters;

Choice Claret Wines, in casks and cases, received direct from Bordeaux, via San Francisco, in bond;

Choice Old French Brandy, received direct from the Agents, in bond, via San Francisco;

Choice Old Bourbon Whiskies;

Port and Sherry Wines, in casks and cases;

High Proof Jamaica Rum;

Scotch Whiskies;

PUBLIC NOTICES.



Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR VICTORIA District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 1st, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR NORTH SAUND District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 18th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR NANAIMO, CEDAR MOUNTAIN AND NEWCASTLE TOWN Districts having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 18th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR SOOKE District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 18th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR ESQUIMALT TOWN having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 7th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR LAKE DISTRICT having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 17th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR SOUTH SAUND District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 17th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR ESQUIMALT TOWN having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 17th, 1861.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR METCHOSIN DISTRICT having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 17th, 1861.

S. MARTIN, Victoria. }
A. MARTIN, San Francisco.

MARTIN BROS., WHOLESALE GROCERS.

PROVISION DEALERS.

FIREPROOF STORE, ROYAL HOTEL BUILDING, Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

ARE CONSTANTLY IN RECEIPT OF Groceries and Provisions, which they offer for sale at low rates.

FOR SALE—200 doz. Fancy German Pipes.
Orders from the country promptly filled.
Oct 14

THOS. PATRICK & CO., LIQUOR DEALERS.

Cor. Government and Johnson Streets,
HAVE FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING Liquors, &c. viz.:

BRANDIES—Martell's, Hennessy, and other brands;
RUM—Jamaica and Demerara;
GIN—Holland, in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM, do
WHISKY—Scotch and American, in bulk and cases;
WINE—of all descriptions;
BURTON ALE—In prime condition, in hhds and cases;
CIDER—Devonshire and Oregon;
BOTTLED—Orange and others.
Victoria, Oct. 11, 1861. Oct 11

DENTISTRY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTED the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental Materials that are to be found on the Pacific coast, and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style. Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by

Office in the Drug Store, cor. Government and Yates streets. Oct 18

REMOVAL.

HENDERSON & BURNABY,

MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR NEW Fireproof Store on Wharf street, opposite the Hudson Bay Co's Wharf.
Victoria, Oct 17, 1861. Oct 18

L. D. LOWENBERG, REAL ESTATE AGENT.

East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads, or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots in every District; some of which afford a rare chance for investment.

Conveyances, leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates.
rate

BOOK BINDING

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

WILLIAM STEWART, FROM ED-
IN BURRILL, prepared to execute orders for Book Binding in the best styles and at the lowest rates.

Government Work Contracted for.
Orders left at Messrs HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S, Yates street, promptly attended to. Oct 20

For Nanaimo and Salt Spring Island.
The Sloop "BOX," CAPT. PRATT,
leaving the wharves, leaves for the above ports every Wednesday. On the return trip she leaves Nanaimo every Monday. For freight and passenger apply to J. M. Mair, Langley street. Oct 21

HENRY NATHAN,

IMPORTER AND GENERAL COM-
MISSIONER, No. 9 Wharf street,
Victoria, V. I. Oct 21

JAMES LOWE,

Commission Merchant,
VICTORIA, V. I.
Office in Havelock's Building, Yates street Oct 21

CLOTHING, ETC.

NATHAN POINTER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods
GOVERNMENT STREET,
in the lower story of

British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,
Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.

Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia). Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIMORE SHIRTS,

from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, Gents' Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony

Wool Shirts and Drawers,

White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents' Superior Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of

GENTS SILK SCARFS,

a new style of Gents' Fine Cassimere Comforters and Open Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent

White and Colored Shirts,

and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful BYRON SHIRTS,

of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those

Baltic Stockings,

for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of

British Columbia & Puget Sound.
I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Grecian. A fine lot of

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,

for the Fall and Winter trade.
— ALSO —

a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas, fine finish. The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds. The Crimean Blue Overalls, weighing two and a half pounds, with double backs. We study to please. Business hours, from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M.

"Cheap John."

THE WELL KNOWN HOUSE OF "CHEAP JOHN," EVERYBODY'S FRIEND, has opened in Yates Building, Yates street, near corner of Wharf, and next door to McDonald's, the Banker. It will be well for everybody to call and see us. Our old customers we know will continue to patronize us, for they know that our Goods are the best and cheapest in the market.
All Orders from the country promptly attended to, at the

Lowest Market Price, for Cash.
Merchants and others will find it to their advantage to call and examine our Stock, as we are always well supplied with an extensive assortment of Goods, consisting of

All kinds of Clothing.

IT EITHER FOR THE MINES OR BALL ROOM

FURNISHING GOODS,

Of every Description;

HATS AND CAPS

In every Style;

BOOTS AND SHOES

From the best Makers;

CUTLERY, PERFUMERY, ACCOR-
DEONS, PLAYING CARDS, TORAC-
CO, SEGARS, CANDLES, YANKEE
NOTIONS, ETC.

Our motto is "GOOD GOODS FOR LITTLE MONEY." Terms Cash. Only one price, on the "No more, no less" principle.

D. & H. SHIRK-SEE,
Cheap Johns, Auctioneers and Commission Merchants.
Oct 20

REMOVAL.

A. J. BRUNN, MERCHANT TAILOR,
HAS REMOVED TO GOVERNMENT STREET, under the Colonist Printing Office. A. J. Brunn has now the facilities to make up Gentlemen's Fashionable Garments at REDUCED PRICES, so as to enable everybody to have their garments made to order. A good Assortment of Hats and Caps, and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods always on hand, at low prices, and the undersigned hopes to have a liberal share of public patronage.

Good Goods, Good Workmanship is the best bargain.
Jy21-ly A. J. BRUNN, Government Street.

Sportsmen, Attention.

The Very Latest Information
CAN BE OBTAINED AT THE

New Room

OF THE
STAR AND GARTER HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,

On all Matters Relating to Sporting.

Superior Accommodations for Travelers.

EXTRA FLOUR,
SELECTED BY MYSELF IN OREGON,
and warranted just the thing
FOR BAKER'S USE.

Also, various brands
Common and Superfine FLOUR,
Suitable for Jobbing and Indian Trade.

I am in receipt of the above ex every steamer, and will be happy to sell at lowest market rates.

GOSHEN AND FRESH BUTTER, eggs, lard, bacon hams, and a well selected stock of choice California Groceries, always on hand.

Boatmen, Restaurant and Housekeepers, are solicited to favor me with their patronage, as they will always find good goods and cheap.

R. DEHAM,
Wharf and Grocer,
22 Johnson street, below Waddington alley.
Oct 20

GLADWIN, TARBELL & CO.,

IMPORTERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS
AND
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Groceries and Provisions,
Wharf street, foot of Yates,
VICTORIA, V. I.
Oct 21

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

BRITISH AMERICAN HOTEL,

Cor. Yates and Douglas streets,
VICTORIA, V. I.

Conducted on Temperance Principles.

Board per Week \$6.00
Day 1.00
Single Meals 50
Board and Lodging per Week, \$9.50 to \$9.00.
Oct 28 1m R. PARKER, Proprietor.

ALBION SALOON.

PERRETT & TIGHE, Proprietors,
N. W. Corner of Yates and Waddington Sts.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THIS NEW SALOON beg most respectfully to inform their friends and customers, that having opened in their new building, they are now prepared to supply them with

Wines, Liquors, Ales & Cigars,
OF THE FINEST QUALITY.

The upper story of the building will be fitted up as SLEEPING APARTMENTS for the accommodation of guests.

HOT LUNCH EVERY DAY.
Oct 21 PERRETT & TIGHE.

Washington Restaurant

—AND—
COFFEE SALOON,
GOVERNMENT ST. bet. YATES AND JOHNSON

MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS on the shortest notice and best style.

Board per Week, \$7.00 and upwards.
THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE

—AND—
SEGARS,
Oct 21 1m

JAMES WILCOX,

PROPRIETOR OF THE
Royal Hotel,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

WISHES TO INFORM THE PUBLIC of British Columbia, that to his superior accommodations for Lodging, he has just added a first-rate

RESTAURANT,

To which he calls the attention of the Traveling Public. Guests entertained at the following reduced prices:

Board, by the Week \$6.00
Board and Lodging Do 8.00
per Day 1.00
Lodging, per Night 50
Oct 25 3m JAMES WILCOX, Royal Hotel, Victoria, V. I.

METROPOLITAN LODGING HOUSE,

Yates street, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co.

MRS. EMMEL, HAVING FITTED UP these commodious Lodgings, is now prepared to accommodate from FORTY TO FIFTY PERSONS. Rooms by the week, \$2 to \$5.

Lodgings by the night, 50 to 75 cents.
Four front rooms fitted up expressly for families.
Oct 17 6m

RINGO'S

Hotel and Restaurant,
Langley street, few doors South of Yates,
VICTORIA, V. I.

THIS NEW AND ELEGANTLY FURNISHED Hotel is now ready for the reception of boarders. Board by the day, week or month at reasonable rates.

Private Rooms, Parlors, and well ventilated Bedrooms.

The Table will be supplied with all the delicacies of the season
SAMUEL RINGO, Proprietor.
Oct 2

CAMERON'S

Board and Lodging House,
SCOTT'S WHARF, NEW WESTMINSTER.

R. CAMERON TAKES THIS METHOD of returning his sincere thanks to the traveling public for the manner in which he has been patronized since the opening of his house (14 months ago) and begs to state that he having greatly enlarged his house is now prepared to board and lodge any number of men that may please to call. I am determined, as before, to keep the best table on the river. The beds in the house can not be beat for cleanliness and comfort, being under the management of Mrs. C.

Board and Lodging per week \$8.00
Single Meals 50
Beds per night 50

Parties can have their beds free by furnishing their own blankets. The house is pleasantly situated, being opposite the theatre, and on the wharf where all the steamers start. Here in fact the boys will find everything satisfactory.
Oct 2m

Sporborg & Goldstone,

YATES' FIRE PROOF

Stone Warehouse, Wharf Street,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS in Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, etc., etc.

SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE, Dealers in Oregon Produce and Commission Merchants.

SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE, Agents for California Brooms manufactured at San Francisco. The trade supplied at small advance above manufacturer's rates.

10,000 LBS. of splendid Oregon Bacon, for sale at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE'S.

150 CASES BOOTS AND SHOES for sale low at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE'S.

50 CASES OREGON LARD for sale low at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE'S.

Yates' Fire Proof Warehouse, Wharf street.
Oct 21

MACDONALD & CO.,

Yates street, Victoria, V. I.

SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on

Courts & Co., London.
Bank of State of New York, New York.

DRAFTS on

San Francisco, California.
Portland, Oregon.

GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminister; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco.

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted.
Victoria, V. I., July 19, 1861. Oct 20 3m

Take Notice.

PARTIES WISHING TO HAVE THEIR Horses or Horses Ridden for the winter, would do well to apply to A. McLEAS, at the entrance of Pitt River three hours' walk from New Westminister, where they can find good accommodations and feed for their animals, at 25¢ per month.
New Westminister, October 14, 1861. Oct 18 1m

Quicksilver, Quicksilver.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed Agent for the new Quicksilver Mine, California, offer for sale quicksilver of the best quality from the above named mine, in quantities to suit, at San Francisco MARKET RATES.
J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
Wharf street.
Oct 2m

MISCELLANEOUS.

PHELAN'S BILLIARD SALOON.

THE ABOVE BILLIARD SALOON, with EIGHT FIRST CLASS PHELAN TABLES, now open to the public. The Cushions on these tables are the latest patent, and are a great improvement on their predecessors. The ROOM is fitted up so as to combine ELEGANCE with COMFORT. The BAR will be kept constantly supplied with the very choicest brands of

Wines, Liquors and Segars,
and the subscribers hope, by strict attention, to merit the patronage of all who admire and practice the GAME OF BILLIARDS.

DAN LYNCH,
M. E. HUGHES,
720 and 722 Montgomery st.,
Opposite the New Metropolitan Theatre,
San Francisco.

The subscriber begs to inform the public that the above mentioned BILLIARD SALOON is also intended to serve as a show and saleroom for

Phelan's Patent Combination Cushions and Modern Billiard Tables,

and Billiard Trimmings of every description. Parties desirous of purchasing Billiard Tables will thus have an opportunity of selecting from a varied assortment, both in style and finish, and can also test the superiority claimed for the Cushions and Tables. Mr. DAN LYNCH will always be on hand, and ready to give all required information with regard to the merits of these justly celebrated Billiard Tables. The subscriber cordially invites all interested parties to call and examine.

M. E. HUGHES,
San Francisco,
Agent for Phelan's Patent Combination Cushions and Modern Billiard Tables.
Oct 3m

The Science of Ironing.

ASK FOR BRIGGS' AUSTRALIAN SATIN GLAZE STARCH where you purchase Harper Twelveteens' Soap Powder. One pound is equal to nearly two pounds of any other. It is the very best Starch for Gentlemen's Collars and Cravats and the most economical for large Washing Establishments, Manufacturers, Bleachers, Hot-Pressers, and Finishers; and as the iron cannot possibly stick, every description of Lace and Muslin can be ironed without fear of tearing. Used exclusively by Her Majesty's L. Dresser, by the Landdress for Buckingham Palace, and by thousands of Families throughout the Kingdom. Sole Manufacturer—HARPER TWELVETEENS, Bromley-by-Bow, London, E.

26, Woodstock street, Bond street, }
August 31, 1861.
[Lace Dresser by Appointment to the Queen.]

GENTLEMEN—I have used your Starch for a considerable time, and have much pleasure in saying that it is the best Starch I have ever used. It surpasses any of the Foreign Manufactures, giving a beautiful finish to the most delicate fabrics. For fine laces, &c., it is invaluable.

I am, Gentlemen, yours respectfully,
ELIZABETH COTTELL.

Agents, Messrs JAMISON & GREEN, Victoria.
Oct 18

The Great Domestic Revolution.

HARPER TWELVETEENS' SOAP POWDER for Washing and Rubbing has created an entire change and thoroughly revolutionized in the management of the "Family Wash;" and there are no reasons why the old, slovenly and disgusting process should be retained—a process so unnecessary, unscientific, and barbarous as to be considered a great national disgrace! Harper Twelveteens' Soap Powder saves time, trouble, money, firing, soap, "tongue and temper," and entirely abolishes the "female slavery" of the tub and the present domestic happiness destroying practice of washing. It contains nothing injurious, but is as safe for the fabric and skin as the best soap. Only boil the clothes 20 minutes and hang them up to dry. NO RUBBING is required, however dirty the clothes! A Penny Packet is equal to Two Pounds of Soap!

Every Packet bears the signature of the sole Manufacturer, HARPER TWELVETEENS, "The Works," Bromley-by-Bow, London, E., the largest Manufacturer of Washing Powder in the world. Sold by all Grocers and Druggists.

Agents, Messrs JAMISON & GREEN, Victoria.
Oct 18

THE CHARTRES COFFEE

—OF—
G. VENARD

HAS ACQUIRED SUCH A REPUTATION all over the Pacific Coast that there is scarcely any demand for other marks.

NO WONDER!
that inferior and spurious articles are attempted to be passed off as superior and genuine under the same brand and paper.

But do not be imposed upon.
Be cautious to observe that every package will bear, besides the usual Brand,

MY SIGNATURE IN FULL
To be had of all the principal Grocers in British possessions and California, and at my Factory, Kenny street, corner of Sutter street, San Francisco.
Oct 2m G. VENARD.

TWINES

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION FOR
FISHING, SAIL-MAKERS, AND DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

SHOE-THREADS AND CANVAS,
FISHING-NETS,
LINES AND SEINES.
BALSTON & CO.,
Manufacturers, Pool & Dorset, England.
Oct 17m

CALIFORNIA MUTUAL Marine Insurance Co.,

OFFICE:
S. E. COR. BATTERY AND COMMERCIAL STREET,
UP STAIRS.

TAKES RISKS OF MARINE INSURANCE to and from all parts of the world. Also, risks of inland transportation. Rates of premium as low as is consistent with safety.

Ten per cent. return premium in CASH will be paid to the dealer of this Company, under the loss of all risks expiring without loss (no loss being claimed on the whole policy) at the end of the year, in lieu of the scrip issued by New York Company.